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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir,

This Amendment is submitted with a Request for Continued Examination. A Notice of Appeal was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 12, 2007. Submitted herewith is a credit card payment form authorizing the payment of $120 in payment for the petition fee for a 1 month extension of time. Please charge any deficiencies in those fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1624.

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